



#5
CF/012

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Stewart Harris et al.
Application No.: 09/755,591 Confirmation No.: 3838
Filed : January 5, 2001
For : SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR MONITORING
CREDIT OF TRADING COUNTERPARTIES
Group Art Unit : 2164
Examiner : Not yet assigned

New York, NY 10020
August 21, 2001

BOX MISSING PARTS
Hon. Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)
FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicants hereby petition for a five-month extension of the period set for reply to the February 15, 2001 Notice to File Missing Parts of Application, to make the date for response September 15, 2001. A check in the amount of \$1,890.00, in payment of the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(5), is enclosed herewith.

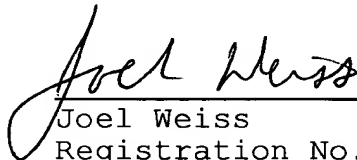
08/29/2001 BNGUYEN1 00000003 09755591

01 FC:128

1890.00 OP

The Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or to credit overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,



Joel Weiss
Registration No. 44,398
Attorney for Applicants
FISH & NEAVE
Customer No. 1473
1251 Avenue of the Americas
New York, New York 10020
Tel.: (212) 596-9000

I Hereby Certify that this Correspondence is being Deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as First Class Mail in an Envelope Addressed to:
COMMISSIONER FOR
PATENTS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231 on

August 21, 2001
Lillian Garcia


Signature of Person Signing